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The above-identified patent became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the office notice or action plus any extensions of time actually obtained.

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- 3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee (required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications): Not required in the instant patent as it was filed after June 8, 1995.
- 4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. This Petition is being submitted within 24 months after the expiration of the six-month grace period of the February 14, 2009 maintenance fee. Additional Statement of Facts is attached.

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STATEMENT OF FACTS

Attachment to Petition To Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Patent Under 37 CFR 1.137(b).

Petitioner, an Attorney-at-Law of New York, states the following facts:

Payment of the February 14, 2005 maintenance fee was requested by faxing a 21 page maintenance fee transmittal letter to the USPTO on January 28, 2005. This transmittal letter was utilized to pay maintenance fees for numerous patents owned by Johnson & Johnson companies. Copy of fax transmittal confirmation and the maintenance fee transmittal letter are attached.

On October 12, 2005, our docketing group discovered that all pages of the January 28, 2005 maintenance fee transmittal letter fax were not successfully transmitted. The instant patent was listed on one of these

missing pages. Another fax, dated October 12, 2005, was sent to the USPTO containing the pages that did not successfully transmit on January 28, 2005.

Our annuity agent, Computer Patent Annuities, attempted to pay the February 14, 2009 fee on January 14, 2009.

On or about April 13, 2009, our docketing department notified me that Computer Patent Annuities reported to them that the February 14, 2009 maintenance fee payment was rejected because the patent had expired by failure to pay the maintenance fee that was due on February 14, 2005.

Petitioner confirms that the abandonment of this patent was not deliberate or intentional. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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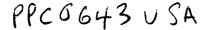
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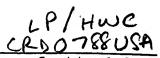
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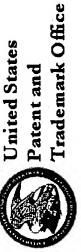
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